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NOTICE OF FUNDING AVAILABILITY

DISTRICT OPPORTUNITIES

The Green Jobs Occupational Skills Training Grant. The District of Columbia Department of Employment Services (DOES) is seeking comprehensive proposals that provide occupational skills training in the energy efficiency and renewable energy industries to support eligible customers as they seek gainful employment. This area has been recognized by the United States Department of Labor (USDOL) as a high growth industry. It is intended that these services will provide participants with the personal and professional preparedness to improve their marketability and increase their probability of obtaining and retaining employment.

The Workforce Investment Act Program is a federal initiative authorized by Title I of the Workforce Investment Act of 1998 (PL 105-220). Eligible applicants proposing the delivery of services above will receive a <u>one-year</u> grant award from the DOES with American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA) funds all grant activities must be completed within the one year grant period. ARRA funds will be awarded to eligible applicants who meet the grant requirements. Total funds available through this DOES grant will not exceed a total of \$500,000.

The Request for Application (RFA) for the District of Columbia Department of Employment Services, Green Jobs grant, is available on the <u>DOES web site</u> and on the District Office of Grants and Partnerships <u>District Grants Clearinghouse</u>.

RFA Release Date: Wednesday, May 5, 2010

Application Submission Deadline: Friday, June 4, 2010 by 3:00 p.m.

LATE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.